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S. 549

To provide for the minting and circulation of one-dollar coins.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 10 (legislative day, MARCH 3), 1993

Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mr. HARKIN, and Mr. DECONCINI) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “United States One-
5 Dollar Coin Act of 1993”.

6 **SEC. 2. ONE-DOLLAR COINS.**

7 (a) COLOR AND CONTENT.—Section 5112(b) of title
8 31, United States Code, is amended—

9 (1) by striking “The dollar,” in the first sen-
10 tence and inserting in lieu thereof “The”; and

1 (2) by inserting after the fourth sentence the
2 following: “The dollar coin authorized under sub-
3 section (a)(1) shall be golden in color, shall have an
4 unreeded edge, shall have tactile features on the sur-
5 face that aid the visually handicapped to differen-
6 tiate the dollar coin from other circulating coins,
7 shall be minted and fabricated in the United States,
8 and shall have similar metallic and anti-counterfeit-
9 ing properties as existing United States clad coin-
10 age.”.

11 (b) DESIGN.—Section 5112(d)(1) of title 31, United
12 States Code, is amended by striking the sixth sentence and
13 inserting in lieu thereof the following: “The obverse side
14 of the dollar shall have a design which shall be selected
15 by the Secretary after consultation with the Commission
16 of Fine Arts.”.

17 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Not later than 18 months
18 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of
19 the Treasury shall place into circulation one-dollar coins
20 authorized by section 5112(a)(1) of title 31, United States
21 Code, in accordance with the amendments made by sub-
22 sections (a) and (b).

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